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LETTER *wrote by M.* D'Argenson, *Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from the French Camp at Boucheaut in Brabant, to M.* Van Hoey, *the* Dutch *Ambassador, dated May* 26, 1745.

THE king has ordered me to write to your excellency concerning the situation of prince *Edward* and his adherents, since the advantage gained over them by the *English* troops, the 27th of last month. All *Europe* knows the ties of parentage which subsist between him and prince *Edward*. Moreover this young prince is endowed with all the qualities which might engage those powers to interest themselves in his favour, who esteem true courage; and the king of *England* himself too just and impartial a judge of true merit, not to set value upon it even in an enemy. The character of the *British* nation in general cannot, likewise, but inspire all *Englishmen* with the same sentiments of admiration, for a country han distinguished by his talents and heroic virtues.

All these reasons ought naturally to favour the fate of prince *Edward*; and at the same time we may expect from the moderation and clemency of the king of *England*, that he will not suffer those persons to be prosecuted with the utmost rigour, who in a time of trouble and confusion, followed the standard which was lately overthrown by the *British Army*, under the command of the duke of *Cumberland*.

Nevertheless, sir, as in the first motions of a revolution, resentment is sometimes carried to a greater height than in more peaceable time, the king thinks proper, as far as in him lies, to prevent the dangerous effects of any too violent sensations which his *Britannic* majesty might take upon this occasion.

It is with this just view, sir, that the king ordered me to desire your excellency to write to the *English* ministry, and to represent to it, in the strongest manner, the inconveniencies which will infallibly result from any violent proceedings against prince *Edward*; how the rights of nations, and the particular interest which his majesty makes it a point of honour to support, that will probably make some impression upon the court of *London*; and his majesty hopes to find none but noble and generous proceedings from the king of *England* and the *English* nation, that all those who were lately concerned in the late revolt of the house of *Stuart*, will likewise have reason to regale themselves with the clemency of his *forefathers*; and this is what is contrary to all expectations, they entertain themselves with respect to the dukes of *Perth* and *Athol*, to the life of his friends and partizans, his only resource after the loss of authority and sway, might prove even a dreadful consequence of such principles and those many inconveniencies before the end of the year, might follow from a violence which could only aggravate the evils and trouble extremely the good understanding which subsists between the two crowns.

Nobody, sir, is more capable than your excellency to direct these reflections; your equity, and your love of peace, will suggest to you what is best to say upon this important subject.

Your excellency must be sensible, that there is not a moment to be delayed in writing to the ministers of the king of *England*, and I hope you will do me the favour to communicate to me the answer you receive from them, that I may give an account of it to the king, that he may take such resolutions upon this occasion, as his majesty shall think suitable to the honour and dignity of his crown. He sincerely wishes that the king of *England* may give him none but examples of humanity and greatness of soul, &c.

This LETTER *was preceded in the* Daily Gazetteer *by the ensuing* REMARKS.

THE *French* kings, by the indolence and inattention of their neighbours, are at last grown to that height of insolence, as, in imitation of the old *Romans*, the subject their power to affect dictating to all the powers of *Europe*, and without the least regard to right or wrong, to equity, or even common sense, take upon themselves to direct those with whom they are at war, how they shall behave to their own subjects, taken in actual rebellion; to put the war between the two nations, and the operations thereof, on a footing with rebellion; and to threaten a prince and his people with destruction, who may if they please, and I hope ever will, be their masters, and always look down on *Frenchmen* with a contempt due to slaves.

I need not tell my reader, that the reasoning in this letter is as silly as the law of it is false. It is a true *French* production! and I hope that the insolence contained in it, will lay the foundations of that destruction and misery to themselves, which they threaten others with. What the busy Mr. *Van Hoey* has to do to interfere in this matter at all, would puzzle a man of common sense to comprehend.

A nation that once submits to be bullied by another, from that moment loses it's reputation, and is gradually falling into contempt and slavery. And here is a test, for which, I dare say, there is not an *Englishman* born, who is not a rebel in his heart, that would not sacrifice his last drop of blood to support the dignity of the crown, and reputation of the people. Is an army to fight battles, whether we will, or no? his majesty to be directed, what battles he shall, or shall not fight? and he commanded to be in by a time or lose? Are treaties without treaties, and treaties without power, who thinks fit in talking to the *Dutch*, or little princes round him, who fawn at his feet, and tremble at his arbitrary nod; who make a god of a loggerhead, and worship a graven image? To such as these a *French* King may give law; but the minute it is submitted to here, we must date the æra of our becoming slaves and *Frenchmen*.

I would ask, by these warm remarks, be understood to presume the limiting his majesty's enemy, or to inspire my countrymen with any kind of desire to render the unhappy miserable? but should with them to have so much regard to their own honour and reputation, that if the *French* will begin this kind of war, but so long as there is a *Frenchman* in *Flanders*, that their whole name and nation be blotted out of the catalogue of time, and their existence be heard of no more; at least, until the *aggressors and authors* of this infernal wickedness be rooted off the earth, and the very memory of the race of *Beelzebub* be buried in eternal oblivion.

Letter from M. Van Hoey, to his Excellency the Duke of Newcastle, in support of the Letter from M. D'Argenson.

My Lord,

I Have the honour to send to your excellency a letter I just now received from M. D'*Argenson*, in relation to the present state of affairs of the Pretender's eldest son, and those of his adherents, since the defeat they have met with from his royal highness the duke of *Cumberland*; your excellency will perceive thereby how much that court confides in me, what credit I, by my long residence there, have gained, and how far it is inclined to believe that my love of peace and equity will furnish me with arguments to enforce it's recommendations. I wish, my lord, I was master of the greatest eloquence upon earth, and were able effectually to employ my whole life, to convince mankind, That by doing to others as we would they should do unto us, is the foundation of the supreme happiness of states, nations, kings, their subjects, and in general of human kind. This is a duty well known by your excellency, and Providence expects from you a compliance, from the high station she has placed you in, and the great talents with which she has blessed you. May persuasion flow from your lips like honey, and every one will be convinced, that we are only happy in proportion to the good we do to others. May you, my lord, banish that pernicious art which discord has brought into the world, of seducing men to destroy one another. Wretched policy! which substitutes revenge, hatred, jealousy, and avarice, to take place of the divine precepts, which form the glory of kings, and happiness of their subjects. You know, my lord, that courage, by way of excellence, is called virtue, and that because it is founded on the love of happiness, and directed in all it's motions by equity, moderation, and goodness. True *heroes* make their victories become profitable to those they conquer, and raise for themselves immortal Trophies of honour, by subduing resentment and revenge, passions so natural to mankind, and so difficult to get the better of. Thus has clemency been revered by wise men in all ages, as the most magnanimous, the most useful, and the most godlike of all royal virtues. I am sensible, my lord, that I am guilty of an indiscretion in laying before you what wisdom, experience and religion have so strongly imprest upon your heart. It is not that I presume to add to your conviction; but how is it possible to forbear treating on a subject which we love? To know truth, and be inflamed with it's divine beauties, is, as your excellency well knows, but one and the same thing. May two so great kings never cease to emulate which shall be the highest example of humanity, clemency, and greatness of soul. May their love to mankind increase, and add daily to their glory, and cause it to shine with greater splendor, that their subjects in particular may owe their peace, and all *Europe* in general the re establishment of it's tranquility, to them; that their wisdom may perpetuate their memories, and be made examples of to posterity to the latest ages. May they long on earth enjoy the just returns of human kind, and more, and more secure to themselves eternal happiness hereafter. I have the honour to be, &c.

Paris, June 2, 1746.

Signed,
A. Van Hoey.

The Duke of Newcastle's *Answer will be in our next.*

LONDON.

June 5. The Court-Martial at *Deptford*, for the Tryal of Mr. *Lisle*, consisting of Admiral *Mayne*, President, Admiral *Byng*, and 13 other Members, after long debating on the Evidence, gave their Sentence, which was read by the Deputy Judge Advocate, by which it appeared the Court were of Opinion, that the Information the Charge was founded upon was true, and that the Evidence in Support of the Charge sufficient to make it good; and that many Witnesses in port of the Charge, as likewise those in his Defence, had ted the whole; therefore the Court unanimously acquitted of the whole and every Part of the Charge.

June 4. General *Guest*, who commanded in the Ca *Roxburgh*, when beseged by the Rebels, and defended it brilliant Manner, came to his Lodgings in *Bruton-stree* Horse Litter, being so weak, and very infirm. said this Gentleman was offered 200,000 *l.* by the Pretende have surrender'd the Castle, there being computed about 5 lion and a half of Riches in it. He soon after waited on King, who received him very graciously, and talked to him.

June 6. Major *Grant*, Deputy-Governor of Fort *Geo Inverness*, was try'd by a Court-Martial for abandoning came to the Rebels, and adjudged to be dismissed his Ma Service, and rendered incapable of ever holding any mi Office or Employment under his Majesty.

His Majesty was pleased to give 500 Guineas to Capt. C of the *Ambuscade* Privateer, for taking a *Spanish* Ship with warlike Stores, from *France* for *Scotland*, for the Us the Rebels. Also 500 Guineas, and a Gold Medal to 200 *l.* to Capt. *Phillips*, who cut the *Solebay* Man of War of *St. Martin's* Harbour on the Coast of *France*.

June 12. The Town-Clerk, and others of *Manchester*, w brought to the House of Mr. *Price*, State Messenger in *Ki street*, in order to be tried for treasonable Practices.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Augustus, June 17.

"Yesterday I had the Pleasure of seeing that old Rebel L *Lovat*, with his two Aid-de-camps, and about 60 of his C brought in here Prisoners; he is 70 Years of Age, but a correct Head to grace *Tembar*, and his Body it is to be, I imagine the Docks of the Tower must be altered to get in. He can neither walk nor ride, and was brought in here a Horse-Litter, or rather a Cage, as harden'd as ever.

June 21. Several Ships with Rebel Prisoners on board c up the River, and the Marquis of *Tullibardine*, Mr. *Murr* and another Person were committed to the Tower, two of Chiefs to Newgate, the Officers to the Marshalsea, and a 600 common Men to the New Gaol, *Southwark*. About were left at *Tilbury* Fort.

June 23. A Party of Soldiers went from the Tower to k guard upon the Multitude of Rebel Prisoners in the New G *Southward*. Twenty one Prisoners, in Custody of two M sengers, were carried under a strong Guard of Soldiers, to Court at St. *Margaret's* Hill, to give Evidence against five other Rebels. Eleven Coaches full of Rebels arrived in To from the North, and were committed to the Custody Messengers.

[*Thus far the* MAGAZINE.]

London, July 21. We have this Day the agreeable New that the Fleet of Merchantmen from *Portugal*, who sailed fr *Lisbon* the 24th of *May*, and were feared to be lost or take were left the 26th of *June* 200 Leagues to the Westward of *Lizards*, which good News we have from Capt. *Dane* of *Elizabeth*, from *Virginia*, who arrived yesterday at *Portsm* and came out with the said Fleet, consisting of upwards of and Sail, under Convoy of the *York* and *Folkstone* Men of W There has been 20 *per cent.* offered on them, but to sell. we are told, by the Insurers of this City. The Effects on bo the said Fleet are reckoned amount to three Millions, be the vast Sums of Money on board the Men of War, for Merchants of this City.

[illegible] The House of Commons have ordered a Bill, for [illegible] more effectual disarming the Highlands, in that Part of Great-Britain called Scotland, and for the better securing the Peace and Quiet of that Part of the Kingdom; and for restraining the Use of the Highland Dress; and for indemnifying the Judges and other Officers of the Court of Justiciary in Scotland, for not performing the Northern Circuit in May, 1746; and for explaining an Act made in the first Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George I. for the more effectual securing the Peace of the Highlands.

While the French are demolishing the old Fortifications in the Netherlands, as at Ypres, Fort St. Margaritte by Antwerp, and before Oudenarde and Ath; they are erecting two new Forts to cover a Bridge they have built over the Durme.

The Register M. Gilles, who is gone again to Paris, is said to be invested with the Character of Ambassador Extraordinary, which we are told, however, he will not assume, but upon a certain Condition mentioned in his Instructions.

The Dublin Privateer has taken and carried into Ireland a Ship from the Havanna, worth 50,000 l.

On Thursday Letters arrived at the Admiralty, which were brought from Capt. Wilson, Commander of a Privateer on a Cruize, by a Dutch Vessel which came to Portsmouth, by which we have an Account, that he saw the Brest Squadron steering its Course towards Ferrol in the Kingdom of Spain.

Yesterday an Express arrived from Plymouth, with Account of the safe Arrival of the Oporto, Straights, and Lisbon Fleet of Merchantmen, under the Convoy of two Men of War. And, last Night the Merchants received the agreeable News from Portsmouth, that they were passing by that Place on their Way in the Downs.

A Letter from Bristol, June 29.

"This Day arrived here the *Tryal* Privateer, Capt. *Conner*, in a very shatter'd Condition, having been taken by a *French* Privateer of 24 Guns, nine Pounders, and 170 Men; tho' she fought gallantly for two Hours and a half, yet had but 18 Guns, four Pounders, and 130 Men. The *French* Captain and first Lieutenant were killed the first Broadside. As the *Tryal* was carrying away for *Bourdeaux*, she was met with by the *Monmouth* Man of War, who retook her and carried her to Admiral *Martin* at *Plymouth*, on the Recital of the brave Defence, generously made a Present of his Eighth for the Recapture to Capt. *Conner* and his Officers, and sent a Sloop to convoy her into this Channel."

Extract of a Letter from Plymouth, June 29.

"Yesterday arrived here the *Prince Conner*, who gives an Account, that on Thursday last he left the Fleet, being 21 Sail of the Line, 35 Leagues S. W. of *Ushant*. That on the 19th he was in *St. Martin's* Road all Night, and in *Rochelle* Road the 20th, where there were but four Sail of *French* Merchant Ships, and one Privateer; from whence he sailed and joined the Admiral in eight Hours. He learnt by a *Dutch* Ship lying in *St. Martin's* Road, that the *French* Fleet, consisting of seven Men of War of the Line, and in the whole 18 Sail, departed from thence on the 17th Instant, and were said to be bound to *Martinico* and *St. Domingo*. He also informed him that no *Spanish* Men of War had joined them, as had been reported."

From the LONDON GAZETTE, *July* 5.

Die Veneris 27 *Junii*, 1746.

The House of Lords having this Day appointed *William* Earl of *Kilmarnock* to be try'd on the 28th of *July* next, at 9 of the Clock in the Morning, upon the Bill of Indictment found against him for High Treason; and *George* Earl of *Cromarty*, to be try'd on the same Day, at 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon, upon the Bill of Indictment for High Treason found against him; and *Arthur* Lord *Balmerino* to be try'd on the same Day, at 11 of the Clock in the Forenoon, upon the Bill of Indictment for High Treason found against him: It is thereupon ordered, That every Peer who has a Right to sit and vote in Parliament, do appear at and attend the said Tryals.

Whitehall, July 5. The King has been pleased to order a Commission to be passed under the Great Seal of *Great-Britain*, for constituting and appointing the Right Honourable *Philip* Lord *Hardwicke*, Baron of *Hardwick*, Chancellor of *Great-Britain*, to be High Steward of *Great-Britain*, for the trying of *William* Earl of *Kilmarnock*, *George* Earl of *Cromarty*, and *Arthur* Lord *Balmerino*, upon several Indictments of High Treason, found against them by the Grand Jury of the County of *Surrey*.

The *French* seem to be under Apprehensions of a Descent by Part of the *British* Forces, having ordered a large Body of Troops to the Coasts of *Normandy*; and as they are detached from the Corps design'd for *Italy*, it not only shews their Affairs in that Country to be under a desperate Situation, but also that they have Use at home for all the Soldiers they can spare.

Thursday the Court for trying the Rebels met at St. *Margaret's* Hill, *Southwark*, according to their Adjournment; when the Prisoners were all arraigned, three of whom pleaded *Guilty*, viz. two Captains in the Duke of *Perth's* Regiment, and a Lieutenant in the *Manchester* Regiment: On being informed that their Tryals would come on next Monday, they desired a longer Time, alledging that the most material of their Witnesses liv'd in *Scotland* and *Lancashire*, and could not possibly hear of it; whereupon the Court adjourn'd 'til yesterday Morning, when the Prisoners were again brought to the Bar, and acquainted, that upon their Request, the *English* Prisoners should be allowed 15 Days from Thursday *July* 4, and the *Scotch* 21 Days from the same Time.

Custom-House, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,

Schooner *Sea-Horse*, *Solomon Lombard*, from *Boston*;
Sloop *Ranger*, *James Tucker*, from *Rhode-Island*;
Sloop *Hopewell*, *Thomas Thomas*, from *Virginia*;
Ship *Neptune*, *John Dennis*, from *London*;
Schooner *Lark*, *Thomas Perkins*, from *Virginia*.

Cleared for Departure,

Brigantine *Union*, *Jonathan Strange*, for *Biddeford*;
Ship *Ruby*, *Alexander Gordon*, for *London*.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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BY the Subscribers at *Annapolis*, a choice Parcel of *European* Goods, for Bills of Exchange, or Paper Money: Any Person, on taking a Quantity, may be supplied at a reasonable Rate.

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THE Subscriber has a Parcel of Fat Steers to dispose of, at his Plantation on *Wye* River, and on this Side of the Bay, for Money or Tobacco.

D. DULANY.

BRoke out of Mr. *John Turnbull*'s Pasture at *Upper Marlborough*, a middle-siz'd Grey Horse, with a Blaze in his Face, his off fore Foot and near hind Foot white, and his near Buttock black. Whoever will bring the said Horse to *Mr. Benjamin Barry* at *Marlborough*, or to the Subscriber at *Annapolis*, shall have Fifteen Shillings Reward. WM. HYDSON.

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BY the Subscriber, at *Broad Creek* in *Prince George's* County, a new Schooner, of about 56 Tons, well built for the *West-India* or Coasting Trade; well cal'd, fit for the smallest Grain; railed, and handsomely finished, with a Scroll Head, fit for a Gentleman's Use. She will stow in the Hold 50 Hogsheads of Tobacco.

Also a Schooner fit for carrying Lumber, Plank, or Tobacco. She will carry under Deck 40 Hogsheads, has an Anchor and Cable, is indifferently rigg'd, fit for a Tobacco Droguet.

HUMPHREY BATT.

RAN away a few Weeks ago, from the Subscriber at *Annapolis*, a Convict Servant Man named *John Baily*: He is a lusty dirty looking Fellow, about 25 Years of Age, has a very sore Leg, and four Letters below his Right Thumb-Joint, *viz.* I. B. H. N. He had on when he went away a blue Pea Jacket, a dirty Shirt and Trowsers, and Country-made Shoes. Whoever apprehends the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward.

PATRICK DOZAN.

Just published, and to be sold by J. Seibert, in Queen-street, Boston, Price Twenty Shillings, Old Tenor,

A Plan of the City and Fortress of *Louisbourg*; with a small Plan of the Harbour. Done in Metzotinto on Royal Paper, by *Mr. Pelham* from the Original Drawing of *Richard Gridley*, Esq; Commander of the Train of Artillery at the Siege of *Louisbourg*.

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A Parcel of Land, containing 350 Acres, being Part of a Tract called *Scot's Level*, lying in *Baltimore* County, about 10 Miles from the Head of *Patapsco*, and about the same Distance from *Baltimore Town*: It is well Timber'd, and a Run goes through it, on which a Grist or Fulling-Mill might be built: It contains some rich low Land, capable of being made fine Meadow, with little Trouble; it also lies convenient for Stock, there being an Outlet to the Barrens of *Patapsco*. For the Conditions of Sale, and the Title to the said Land, enquire of the Subscriber, on *Bohemia* in *Cecil* County; or *Richard Cornell*, at the *Baltimore* Iron Works.

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RALPH FAULKNER.

IF any of the following Seamen, *viz. John Fowles*, *Kyan*, *John Robinson*, Boatswain, *Jonathan Shoult*, *ward Coultbens*, *John Miller*, *John Scot*, *Thomas Hasle*, *William Bowen*, *Robert* [illegible] belonging to the Ship *Lydia*, *William Tiffe*, Commander, lying in *Patapsco* River, shall at any Time be found Miles Distance from the said Ship, except on Duty, they may be taken up and secur'd, for which the Person taking them up, at that distance, shall receive a Reward of Pounds for each, or any of them, from

WILLIAM [illegible]

RAN away from the Subscribers, on the 20th of [illegible] the three following Servant Men, *viz.*

Daniel M'Grown, a *Highlander* belonging to *Charles* Merchant in *Fredericksburgh*, of short Stature, about 5 Feet Inches high, speaks broken *English*, as of a swarthy Complexion, with short carled Hair; he had on when he went away a dearle Bear-skin Coat with Brass Buttons, a Pair of brown Linen Trowsers, and a brown Linnen Shirt.

John Rose, a *Highland* Boy belonging to *John Mitchell*, Merchant in *Fredericksburg*, about 16 Years of Age, of a Complexion, his Hair cut off, and speaks broken *English*; had on an Osnabriggs Shirt, Osnabriggs Trowsers and Breech with straps, a Tartan Jacket without Sleeves, lined with Shaloon, a Silk Handkerchief, and a Felt Hat: He took him two old Linnen Jackets (one flower'd), and a white

Thomas Healy, an *Irishman* (belonging to Dr. *William* in *Fredericksburg*, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, speaks good *English*, is about 21 Years of Age, Hair cut off, and his Head full of Scars; he had on when went away a dark-colour'd Broad-cloth Coat double-breas with white Metal Buttons, Osnabriggs Trowsers and Shirt, white Linnen Shirt, and an old fine Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants in any public Goal, brings them to their respective Master at *Fredericksburg*, shall have two Pistoles Reward for each, besides what the Law allows.

CHARLES DICK
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A likely young Negro Woman, with her Child which between 3 and 4 Years old. She's a brisk lively Wench and can do all Sorts of Houshold Work. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

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THOMAS GOD

STRAYED from *Upper Marlborough*, on the 15th of *August* last, a Black Horse, about 14 Hands high, pretty well, and is branded on the near Buttock, but what Mark is uncertain. He was bred by or formerly belong'd to Mrs. *Martha Lingan*, deceased, near *Lower Marlborough*, whither it is supposed he is gone. Whoever will bring the Horse to the Subscriber at *Annapolis*, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

THOMAS WILLIAMSON

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